

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING.
A meeting of the finance committee of the Council of the Sydney Municipal Council was held on Tuesday afternoon. There were present—The Mayor (Mr. Man Ives) in the chair, Aldermen, Messrs. J. H. B. Kippax, Landers, Jerssey, Mackay, Small, James, Taylor, Penny, and Chapman.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.
The following statement of the financial position of the council for the week ended 30th January was presented and read:

Income—
£45,010 15 9d debitor balance; cattle sales 21043 is 74 debtor; public markets less 21,318 of credit; rate 1000 less 1000; 1000 Micro-store improvement, £2214 is 74 on Special accounts. Street loan sinking fund, £1000; Town Hall loan sinking fund, £700; cattle salesways sinking fund, £20,268 of credit.

The first business was at the opening of the street, where there were three or four stalls, and discussion arose as to what of the City Architects' partakers.

Mayer to the fact that the wages in the City & St. Mary's department amounted to \$200 in the month of March, which was rather large in view of the work to be done.

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On the motion of Alderman Taylor, seconded by Alderman Peary, the aldermen decided to vacate the place.

RESUME REINTERROGATION.

A letter was read from the Agent-General, Washington, D. C., dated June 10, 1906, in which he stated that he had been informed by his late partner on the subject of refusal of contractors. The same amounted to \$150 in 1902.

The Town Clerk read a minute showing the record of the case, and the same was read by the council.

The motion was obtained by resolution of the council.

The Mayor said that the City Surveyor announced that the same was accompanied by plans, and the same were most complete. The surveyor estimated that the professional work in it was worth 700 guilders, and that the same was worth 100 guilders for the best he could for the council at a reasonable price.

He moved that the amount be paid.

The motion was agreed to.

TELEGRAM.

Thanks for the supply of cement and for the good work done by the men who were engaged in the construction of the same.

Considered. The tender of Messrs. Goulding and Co. was accepted.

Smith at the bid per three bags for cement, and the contractor, J. H. Thompson, was recommended by the directors. The same was recommended by the council for acceptance.

LIABILITIES OF MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

PROPOSED SINKING FUNDS.

A deputation composed of the Mayor and six members of the Municipal Council, accompanied by the Mayor, called upon the Premier (Mr. A. H. Reid) yesterday morning with reference to the liabilities of the councils and the proposed establishment of sinking funds for the repayment of the loans.

The deputation was introduced by Mr. M. W. M.L.A., who explained to the Premier the various considerations connected with the establishment of sinking fund, and it was desired that the Government should accept certain recommendations with regard to the proposed sinking fund. It was intended that a bill should be introduced to the effect that the Government should accept certain recommendations with regard to the proposed sinking fund.

It was explained by Alderman Moorhouse, Mayor of Marnetville, that the matter of the finance of the Marnetville Fire Department had been discussed at a meeting and a report was adopted recommending the establishment of a sinking fund. The total loan was £10,000, and the sinking fund was to be paid £175 annually. If the loans were repaid it was believed that they could be obtained at a rate of interest of 4 per cent. The amount of interest paid of £475 per annum was proposed by the council that a sum of £500 per annum should be set aside for the sinking fund, say on the 1st of July each year. It was suggested that the loan, to cover the whole of which all capital and interest was to be paid, should be repaid in 31 years. It was estimated that the amount of interest paid would be £475 per annum, accumulated for 31 years, and but

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The higher examinations in connection with institutions were held at Trinity in the Parish of Philip-street, viz: candidates for harmony and singing in the morning and nine in the afternoon in the evening. The candidates were allowed for each institution. The conduct of processions was in the hands of the hon. local secretary, Mr. J. W. Macdonald, and the assistance of J. W. Macdonald, present in the capacity of visitor, and Messrs. C. Hugo, Mr. Gordon Lavers, and Mr. J. W. Macdonald.

announced that these examinations would be held in the future in the month of December.

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